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100 - Office of Attorney General

A001 Administrative Activity

Statewide Result Area: Strengthen government's ability to achieve results efficiently and effectively

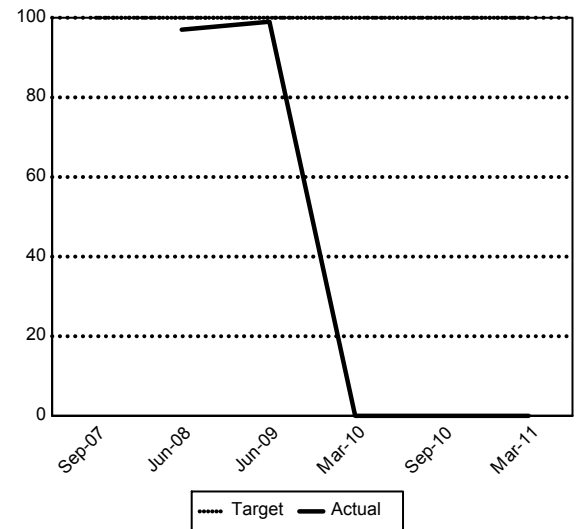
Statewide Strategy: Improve decision support for government decision makers

Expected Results

Provide continued high quality leadership and infrastructure support for the agency in an efficient and effective manner.

PM0001/ADM - Percentage of Mandatory Training Completed.				
Biennium	Period	Target	Actual	Variance
2007-09	8th Qtr	100%	99%	(1)%
	4th Qtr	100%	97%	(3)%
	1st Qtr	100%		
<p><i>Enables the AGO to meet the expectation that all staff participate in specific mandatory training by showing total numbers of participants.</i></p> <p><i>Training components include:</i> <i>Sexual Harassment, Defensive Driving, Ethics, HIPPA, Records Retention, and Protect It</i></p>				

Date Measured: 1/31/2011



A002 Civil Commitment of Sexually Violent Predators

Statewide Result Area: Improve the safety of people and property

Statewide Strategy: Confine and rehabilitate adult offenders

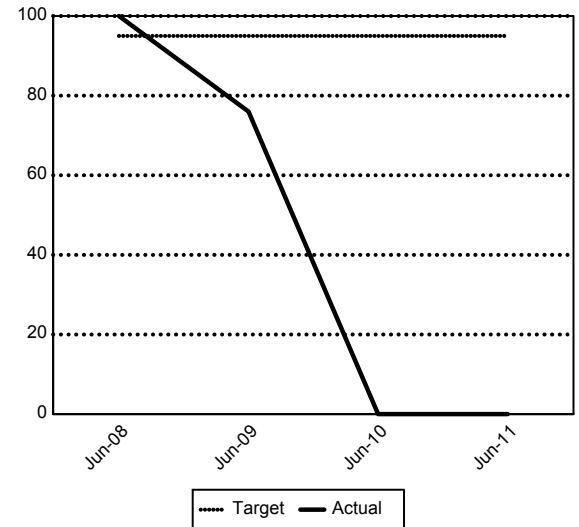
Expected Results

As a result of the Sexually Violent Predator Unit, the most dangerous and violent sexual predators in the state are detained, evaluated, and treated. They are held until they no longer constitute a threat. Consequently, fewer people are victimized, and the public is better protected from those who are most likely to reoffend.

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PM0002/SVP - Percentage of SVP Cases Resulting in Commitment.				
The higher the commitment rate, the more successful the SVP unit is in civilly committing dangerous sexual predators and thereby protecting the public from these offenders.				
Biennium	Period	Target	Actual	Variance
2007-09	8th Qtr	95%	76%	(19)%
	4th Qtr	95%	100%	5%
Civil commitment of sexually violent predators requires the "hospitalization" of the most dangerous sexual offenders until they are treated and safe to be returned to the community.				

Date Measured: 7/31/2011



A003 Criminal Investigation and Prosecution

Statewide Result Area: Improve the safety of people and property

Statewide Strategy: Enforce the law

Expected Results

This Criminal Litigation Division assures that where a prosecution can not proceed because of conflict or lack of experience, there is a competent, highly-skilled prosecutor to represent the people. On occasion, the local prosecutor may not be able, or may refuse to act, and if so requested, the existence of the unit guarantees that matters can be prosecuted even if the local prosecutor does not wish them to be. This unit raises the level of prosecution and this results in greater public protection.

A004 Enforcement of Anti-Trust Laws

Statewide Result Area: Improve the economic vitality of businesses and individuals

Statewide Strategy: Regulate the economy to ensure fairness, security and efficiency

Expected Results

The Anti-Trust Division protects the citizens of Washington State from antitrust activities such as price-fixing, monopolization, and illegal mergers, resulting in a competitive market, and consumers benefit from that competition in the form of lower prices or better services. The division responds to consumer complaints, provides advice to state agencies, and provides community education and outreach ensuring that consumers will have problems addressed, agencies will prevent problems from occurring, and businesses will become educated about their responsibilities under the antitrust laws.

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A005 Enforcement of Consumer Protection Laws

Statewide Result Area: **Improve the economic vitality of businesses and individuals****Statewide Strategy:** **Provide consumer protection****Expected Results**

The Consumer Protection Division enforces state and federal laws prohibiting unfair and deceptive business practices in trade or commerce in accordance with the Unfair Business Practices Act and the Consumer Protection Act. The Consumer Protection Division typically recovers more money on behalf of consumers of the state of Washington than the cost of its operations. The current areas of enforcement focus on automobile issues and pharmaceutical companies and continue the division's efforts in the credit and financial industries. The division also takes on nonlitigation matters which benefit consumers, such as fielding customer calls, providing advice to other state agencies, and education and outreach activities. These activities help to eliminate potential problems and provide consumers with the tools to educate themselves and make better decisions.

A006 Executive Ethics Board

Statewide Result Area: **Strengthen government's ability to achieve results efficiently and effectively****Statewide Strategy:** **Support democratic processes and government accountability****Expected Results**

The Executive Ethics Board handles complaints filed by public employees and citizens. By completing investigations within a reasonable period of time, the public will be better served and public trust and confidence in government will increase.

A007 Homicide Investigation Tracking System

Statewide Result Area: **Improve the safety of people and property****Statewide Strategy:** **Enforce the law****Expected Results**

The HITS system and investigator provide assistance to law enforcement giving them much greater access to information, advice and assistance that supports them greatly in their investigation of violent crimes. As a result, the best suspects are pursued, which leads to saved time and better public protection.

A008 Investigation and Defense of Tort Lawsuits

Statewide Result Area: **Strengthen government's ability to achieve results efficiently and effectively****Statewide Strategy:** **Improve decision support for government decision makers****Expected Results**

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The Torts Division provide high quality and efficient legal services by measuring the age at which lawsuits resolve and by tracking clearance rates on a quarterly basis. The division maintains a high rate of Tort case appeal litigation success.

A009 Investigation and Prosecution of Medicaid Fraud and Resident Abuse

Statewide Result Area: **Improve the health of Washingtonians**
Statewide Strategy: **Provide access to appropriate health care**

Expected Results

Through the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit's efforts in investigating and prosecuting Medicaid fraud, money that is illegally taken or received is returned to the Medicaid system. Also, because of prosecution, others are deterred from committing similar crimes. This unit also investigates and prosecutes crimes committed against the residents of Medicaid-funded facilities. Often times these are the most vulnerable victims. The unit's investigation and prosecution of these offences help protect those who cannot protect themselves.

A010 Legal Services to State Agencies

Statewide Result Area: **Strengthen government's ability to achieve results efficiently and effectively**
Statewide Strategy: **Improve decision support for government decision makers**

Expected Results

The Attorney General's Office expects to provide high quality, option-based legal advice that assists agency decision making, reduces the threat of lawsuits, and saves the state the time, and in many cases, the high costs of litigation. If litigation becomes necessary, the office expects to initiate, defend, and resolve its cases effectively and efficiently for the benefit of the state, its agencies, and its citizens.

ZZZX Other Statewide Adjustments

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Statewide Strategy: **Improve decision support for government decision makers**